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- (2) The ability to use electrical test equipment in direct current and alternating current circuits; and
- (3) A basic knowledge of highway-rail grade crossing inspection and maintenance methods and procedures.

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§212.235 Inapplicable qualification requirements.

The Associate Administrator may determine that a specific requirement of this subpart is inapplicable to an identified position created by a State agency if it is not relevant to the actual duties of the position. The determination is made in writing.

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APPENDIX B TO PART 213—SCHEDULE OF CIVIL PENALTIES

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Subpart A—General

§213.1 Scope of part.

This part prescribes initial minimum safety requirements for railroad track that is part of the general railroad system of transportation. The requirements prescribed in this part apply to specific track conditions existing in isolation. Therefore, a combination of track conditions, none of which individually amounts to a deviation from the requirements in this part, may require remedial action to provide for safe operations over that track.

§213.3 Application.

- (a) Except as provided in paragraph (b) of this section, this part applies to all standard gage track in the general railroad system of transportation.
- (b) This part does not apply to track—